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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

In response to the Office Action mailed December 31, 2002, Applicants submit the amendments and remarks in the pages below, a total of 11 sheets.

If the Examiner would like to discuss any of the issues raised in the Office Action, Applicants' undersigned representative can be reached at the telephone number listed below.

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Enclosed herewith is a request for an automatic extension of time and a check in payment of the extension in time. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050, referencing Attorney Docket No. 00530-089002.

Respectfully submitted,

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